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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, SB

FROM: []

1. [] called in this morning and I told him as best I could over the phone of the information I gave you yesterday--that is, it apparently has been decided at the highest level of the Agency to settle the HEINE/RAUS case.

2. [] asked me to convey to you that he is very much against such a course of action which he feels would be detrimental to the interests of the Agency.

3. Also, [] feels that a settlement of the case would jeopardize our plans to have Col. REBANE arrange for HEINE to be examined by a special commission of Estonian emigres, an action which would probably destroy HEINE's legend publicly.

[] SB/CI/I []

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